## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	
Lieven J. STUYVER et al.	Group Art Unit: 1623
Application No.: 10/045,292	Examiner: Traviss C. McIntosh, III
Filed: October 18, 2001	
For: MODIFIED NUCLEOSIDES FOR ) THE TREATMENT OF VIRAL INFECTIONS AND ABNORMAL CELLULAR PROLIFERATION )	Confirmation No.: 4833
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	VIA EFS-Web
Sir:	

## NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31

Applicant appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Examiner's decision mailed July 7, 2009.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- 1. Applicant petitions for a three-month extension of time, based on the mailing date of the outstanding Office Action. The petition fee of \$1,110.00 is being paid electronically.
- 2. Applicant has previously filed a Petition for extension of time extending the period for response to the outstanding Office action to [Date]. Applicant now petitions for an additional extension of time to extend the period for response to [Date]. The petition fee of \$[Fee] is enclosed.

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3.	$\boxtimes$	The Notice of Appeal Fee of \$540.00 is being paid electronically.	
4.		The Notice of Appeal F	ee was previously paid in this application on [Date],
but the appeal was not completed. Accordingly, no Appeal Fee is due at this time.			
5.		A pre-appeal brief conf	erence is requested. The request and supporting
documentation are attached.			
	Pleas	e grant any extensions o	of time required to enter this response and charge
any additional required fees to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.			
			Respectfully submitted,
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